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SUBJECT: Effects of potential changes in The STeepwear Standards

DATE OF CALL: March 30, 1998

DATE OF LOG ENTRY: March 30, 1998

SOURCE OF LOG ENTRY: Margaret Neily, ESME

CALLER: Vivian Riceman, Baby Steps

SUMMARY: Ms. Riceman called to share her concerns about the status of potential changes in the sleepwear flammability standards as they have affected her business. She reports that her snug-fitting sleepwear garments, shown at the International Kids' Fashion Show in mid March, did not sell. She received no orders. Her garments have been constructed to comply with the current standard, supplemented by the 12/9/96 enforcement letter describing upper arm measurements. Specifically:

Upper arm is measured as in the enforcement letter. Seat is measured at the crotch. Thigh is measured at the crotch.

We discussed the staff schedule for the briefing package for a Commission decision on the potential amendments (decision expected in late April) and confirmed the end date for the stay of enforcement (6/9/98).

